

To the Heroic Defenders of the United States of America

Going Across

Words and Music by
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Allegro moderato

The piano introduction consists of three measures. The first measure is a whole rest. The second and third measures feature a melody in the right hand and a bass line in the left hand, both in 2/4 time. The key signature has one flat (B-flat).

The first system of the song features a vocal line and piano accompaniment. The vocal line begins with a piano (*p*) dynamic and includes a crescendo to fortissimo (*ff*). The piano accompaniment follows the same dynamic markings. The lyrics are: "Ships will be sail - ing in - to the night. Go - ing a - cross in de - Some day our ships will be home - ward bound. Some day be bring - ing the".

The second system continues the song. The vocal line has a crescendo leading to a fortissimo (*ff*) dynamic. The piano accompaniment also features a crescendo. The lyrics are: "fence of the right Go - ing a - cross with a pur - - pose true: vic - to - ry crowned Some day be bring - ing the brave and true:". The piano accompaniment ends with a final chord.

p legato *p*

Go - ing a-cross with the brown and the blue. Go-ing to crush at the
 Bring-ing the boys of the brown and the blue. O-ver the white of the

p legato *p*

na tion's call Now and for - ev - er the ty - - rant's thrall:
 o - cean's foam Some day our ships will be sail - - ing home;

Go - ing to crush at the na - tion's call Now and for - ev - er the
 O - ver the white of the o - cean's foam Some day our ships will be

ty - rant's thrall, Ships will be sail - - ing a -
 sail - ing home, Home, home, from o - - ver the

L. H. *L. H.*

way, Sail - ing by night and by day.
sea, Home, home, God grant it may be.

rit.

L.H.

rit.

Allegro

Go - ing a - cross with the flag un - furled:
Bring - ing the boys with the flag un - furled:

Allegro

Go - ing a - cross to re - - deem the world:
Bring - ing the boys who've re - - deemed the world:

Go - ing a - cross to re - deem the world.
Bring - ing the boys who've re - deemed the world.

Go - ing a - cross with the flag un - furled,
Bring - ing the boys with the flag un - furled,

1st ending

Go - ing a - cross to re - deem the world.
Bring - ing the boys who've re -

2nd ending

deemed the world.

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Composer

There's a Soldier Lad in Khaki Over There. Temperance Songs:
I've a Cottage Built for Two. *The Nation's Going Dry.*
The Heart of You. *The Land where Old Glory Waves.*
Just Turned Two.

Seek Ye the Lord.
'Long in Apple Blossom Time.
The Village Street at Home.